


BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2001-209-C – ORDER NO. 2001-533

JUNE 4, 2001

IN RE: Application of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to Provide In-Region InterLATA Services Pursuant to Section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.)	ORDER ESTABLISHING PREFILING DEADLINES
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This matter is before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the “Commission”) for the purpose of establishing pre-filing deadlines for testimony and exhibits. On May 16, 2001, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (“BellSouth”) filed its “Notice of Intent to File Section 271 Application with the Federal Communications Commission” (“Notice”). With its Notice, BellSouth filed the direct testimony and exhibits of numerous witnesses. By Order No. 2001-532, dated June 4, 2001, the Commission set the hearing in this docket to begin on July 23, 2001.

Pursuant to 26 S.C. Regs. 103-869(C)(Supp.2000), the Commission hereby orders that twenty-five copies of any additional direct testimony and exhibits, including performance testimony, of the Applicant BellSouth shall be pre-filed on or before **June 18, 2001**, and that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of the Commission Staff and/or intervenors shall be pre-filed on or before **July 9, 2001**. (Material may be post-marked on these dates.)

Also, any rebuttal testimony and exhibits shall be pre-filed on or before **July 16, 2001**, and any surrebuttal testimony and exhibits shall be pre-filed on or before **July 19, 2001**. (Material must be in the offices of the Commission and in the hands of the parties on these dates.) It should be noted that acceptance into the record of surrebuttal testimony and exhibits is subject to the discretion of the Commission.

Parties shall serve all pre-filed testimony and exhibits on all other parties of record as required by the Commission's Rules and Regulations.


All parties are reminded that all witnesses must be present during any hearing in this matter at the call of the Chairman, or the Commission may decline to allow the witnesses' testimony to be read into the record of the proceeding, and/or may decline to allow the witnesses' exhibits to be entered into the evidence of the case.

Please take notice that any party requesting modification of this schedule must file a request for such modification with the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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